BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Normal.	*Current.*
Prices of food grains—Rice	... 10 to 11	8 to 8½
Ragi	... 25 to 30	25 to 30

The state of standing crops fair. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder sufficient.

BANGALORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Ragi is being harvested in parts of Hoskote, Anekal, Dodballapur and Kankanhalli Taluks. Mustard, navane and chillies are also being harvested in parts of Anekal.

10. Prospects of the season good. Rain is wanted for ragi, lately sown in Nelamangala.

11. Public health generally good except in parts of Kankanhalli and Devanhalli Taluks, where fever prevails.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder abundant.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Kulthi in Kolar and Sidlaghatta; hutchellu in Kolar and Srinivaspur; paddy in Bowringpet, are being sown. Samé in Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Bagepalli and Gudibanda; ragi in Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli, Goribidnur and Gudibanda; navane and sajja in Goribidnur and Srinivaspur, respectively, are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are reported to be ample.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Sugar-cane in Turuvekere and Kunigal; ragi and paddy in Tumkur and Maddagiri; ragi and navane in Sira; paddy and sessamum in Turuvekere; ragi, samé, and jola in Pavagada; and ragi in parts of Koratagere, are being harvested. Paddy in Tumkur and Gubbi and Bengal gram and kulthi in Turuvekere, are being sown.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, horse gram, black and green grams, togare, ballar, chillies, cotton, coriander, samé, haraka, navane, halasande, menthya, tobacco, hutchellu and mulberry, are reported to be in good condition. Ragi and same are being harvested in parts of the district. Bengal gram is being sown in parts of the Hunsur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season very good.

11. Public health generally good. Fever is reported to be still prevalent in parts of the Hunsur Taluk.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, doda ragi, chillies, castor, cow gram, togare, samé and navane, etc., in Hassan; paddy in Manjarabad; paddy and sugar-cane in Belur and Channarayapatna; ragi, cow gram, castor, chillies and kulthi in Arsikere; paddy, ragi, kulthi, castor and chillies in Hole-Narsipur; paddy and cereal crops in Arkalgud; and paddy and kulthi in Alur, are in good condition. Bengal gram and fenugreek are being sown in parts of Arkalgud.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are abundant.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy, except in Arsikere, where they are reported to be suffering from foot and mouth disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, ragi, sugar-cane and arecanut in the Malnad Taluks and gingelly, cow gram, pigeon pea, chillies, castor and horse gram in the Maidan Taluks, are in good condition. Ragi and gingelly in the Taluk of Honnali, ragi in the Taluks of Channagiri and Shikarpur and Sorab, and paddy in Shikarpur and Sorab, and arecanuts in Sagar, Shimoga and Tirthahalli are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health generally good. Ague is prevailing to some extent in the taluks of Shikarpur, Sorab and Tirthahalli.

12. Cattle healthy in all the taluks except in portions of the Sagar and Sorab Taluks where they are still suffering from foot and mouth disease. Fodder and water abundant.

KADUR.

8. Market fairly supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy and ragi in the Tarikere Taluk; paddy and sugar-cane in the Koppa Taluk; paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, togare and baliar in the Chikmagalur Taluk; ragi, ballar, togare, chillies and castor in the Kadur Taluk; and paddy in the Mudgere Taluk, and Yedahalli and Sringeri Sub-Taluks, are in good condition. Black and green grams, coriander and til in the Tarikere Taluk; coriander, gidragi and til in the Chikmagalur Taluk; black and green grams, coriander and til in the Kadur, are being harvested. Kolé roga continues in the Koppa Taluk. Horse gram in the Tarikere Taluk; Bengal gram and hutchellu in the Chikmagalur Taluk; coriander, jola and barley in the Kadur Taluk, are being sown.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy, but in parts of Kadur and Tarikere Taluks they are suffering from foot and mouth disease. Fodder and water available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Ragi, jola, black gram and wheat in the Chitaldrug Taluk; ragi, sessamum and green gram in the Challakere Taluk and jola in the Hosdurga Taluk, are being harvested. White jola is being sown in Hiriyur and Davangere Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good. Fever still prevails in the Hiriyur Taluk.

12. Cattle healthy. Pasture and water sufficient.

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